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In re Application of
Greg Udelhoven, et al.
Application No. 09/886,457
Filed: June 20, 2001
Attorney Docket No. 1340.002US1

DECISION ON PETITION

This is a decision on the renewed petition, filed January 12, 2011, which is being treated as a petition under 37 CFR 1.8(b), requesting withdrawal of the holding of abandonment in the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

This application was held abandoned for failure to timely respond to the Office action of April 29, 2010, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. Accordingly, a reply was due on or before July 29, 2010.

Petitioner states that a timely reply was mailed via certificate of mailing on October 29, 2010, which included the following papers: a RCE with a submission under 37 CFR 1.114 and a three (3) month extension of time. The original reply is in the file.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.8(b). Accordingly, the holding of abandonment for failure to timely file a reply to the Office action of April 29, 2010 is hereby **withdrawn** and the **application restored to pending status**.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the April M. Wise at 571-272-1642. All other inquiries concerning the examination or status of this application should be directed to the Technology Center.

This application is being referred to Technology Center AU 3628 for processing of the amendment previously filed November 12, 2010.

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